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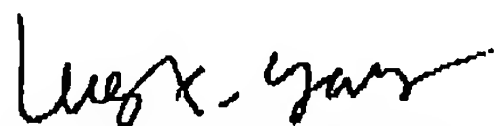
Sir:

Responding to the election/restrictions requirement dated October 6, 2005, Applicants elect group I, drawn to products of formula I, for prosecution.

Applicants further elect the first compound in claim 70 as a single species. This compound is within the scope of formula I, wherein  $W_2 = O$ ;  $R_1 = H$ ; A = structure I; C = aryl; and B = het or substituted het.

Applicants wish to draw the Examiner's attention to US Patent No. 6,919,329 B2. The instant application is a continuation in part of the '329 patent. The above elected group I has the same scope of Claim 1 of the '329 patent. Claims 69-78 of the instant application are within the scope of claim 1 of the '329 patent, but they are not specifically claimed in the '329 patent. In view of the apparent patentability of the '329 patent, allowance of claims 69-78 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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